

Table 3.17 Number of Companies Expecting to Introduce New Photovoltaic Products in 2009

| New Product Type               | Number of Companies |
|--------------------------------|---------------------|
| Crystalline Silicon            |                     |
| Single-Crystal Silicon Modules | 10                  |
| Cast Silicon Modules           | 8                   |
| Ribbon Silicon Modules         | 2                   |
| Thin-Film                      |                     |
| Amorphous Silicon Modules      | 5                   |
| Other (Thin Film)              | 6                   |
| Concentrators                  | 2                   |
| Nonmodule System Components    | 3                   |

**Source:** U.S. Energy Information Administration, Form EIA-63B, "Annual Photovoltaic Module/Cell Manufacturers Survey."